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NEWS IN THE VICINAGE.

Capt. Wm. Todd, 75, and Miles Quisenberry, 76, died in Madison.

The Bank of Perryville has declared a 3 per cent. dividend and carried 3 per cent. to surplus.

Powell Carroll killed Robert Nelson with a rock on Greasy Creek in Bell county after passing a few hot words with him.

Miss Laura V. Colson, a niece of the congressman, has been appointed postmaster of Middleboro. B. F. Whitman gets the office at Science Hill.

Judge W. L. Brown, of the London court, follows the precedent of another Kentucky judge and opens his court with prayer.

Lieut. John Gibson, navigator of the Boston, one of Admiral Dewey's ships, was born in Clay county, Ky., 42 years ago and was appointed by Col. Matt Adams.

The State Convention of Sons of Veterans met in Louisville last week and elected E. H. Hansford, of the Somerset Paragon, Commander, which is a very high compliment.

Lon Bowen, Lee Seearce and John Jones engaged in a fight at Lawrenceburg. Bowen's skull was fractured by Jones. John Meton, peacemaker, lost an ear and received a bad scalp wound.

The Lucas livery stable at Manchester, belonging to Mrs. Amanda Lucas, was totally destroyed by fire last week. A quantity of feed, one horse and three or four buggies were burned.—London Kentuckian.

Judge Barr reduced the bail of Banker McKnight from \$14,000 to \$12,000, pending his appeal from a seven years' sentence for bank wrecking. Mr. Nick McDowell, of Danville, went on his bond.

At Lawrenceburg, the Opera House, the Klondike Hotel, postoffice, barber shop and Miller's confectionery were burned, loss \$70,000. The Lexington fire company was wired for, but the flames were extinguished before it could leave home.

Sixteen Negroes and six whites, "Over the Rhine" residents of Middleboro, were unmercifully whipped by a band of 10 whitecappers. The victims were marched at pistol point to the outskirts of town where they were bound and flogged.

Mrs. John Taylor, of Mercer, was fatally shot by her nine-year-old son. Mr. Taylor had cleaned a revolver, and handed it to the child to put in a drawer, when the little fellow pulled the trigger, discharging it, the ball entering his mother's forehead and coming out in the top of her head.

The Harrodsburg sayings are waltzing on its arbutus, because the Rev. W. C. Goodloe denounced it in a sermon at the Christian church and added that it was unfit to come into the houses of decent people. The paper had published an advertisement the anti-local option men's argument against the adoption of the law and that was the point of its offending. The preacher further said that the paper had "sold out to the saloon men." This latter statement, Editor Morrison denounces "as a malicious falsehood, on a par with the uncalculated libel he uttered, some time since, against our boys and young men, characterizing them, almost without exception, as drunkards and drunkards, but was compelled to retract the untruth in the face of the most summary evidence to the contrary." The election was held last Tuesday and local option was defeated by 61.

CHEAP RATES ON Q. & C.

Excursion.—One fare for the round-trip to Lexington, on account of the League American Wheelmen Meeting, June 20th and 21st, from all points in Kentucky. Good to June 22d to return. Bicycles handled free.

Blue Grass Tournament, Richmond, May 26-28. One fare the round-trip from all points in Kentucky. Good till May 30th to return.

Excursion.—Lexington to see our troops in camp, next Sunday, from all points between Somerset and Crescent Springs. Special train leaves Somerset at 6:30 A. M., stopping all points. Returning, leaves Lexington at 7 P. M. Regular trains only from North of Lexington.

PLAY BALL.—Reds vs. Louisville's Cincinnati, Sunday, May 15. \$1.25 Round Trip from Junction City and Danville, Ky., Queen and Crescent Route. Ask Ticket Agents for particulars. W. C. Rinegarson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, O.

The recent wet weather was hard on the citizen soldiers who had just gone into camp; but it had its uses as part of the discipline of a soldier's life. It may have been intended as a foretaste of the rainy season in Cuba.

34. Eliza Berry, of this place, says she never had anything do him so much good and give such quick relief from rheumatism as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He was bothered greatly with shooting pains from hip to knee until he used this liniment which affords prompt relief.—H. C. Baker, Druggist, St. Paris, Ohio. For sale by Craig & Stocker, Stanford, Ky.

LANCASTER.

Our citizens propose to charter a train and go to Lexington to see Capt. Duncan's company before they are ordered South.

Messrs. J. W. Miller, W. B. Mason and George Palmer went as delegates from this county to the State Commercial Convention at Louisville.

County Clerk J. M. Dunnean knew Admiral Sampson while at the naval school, and he has confidence in his ability to destroy the Spanish fleet.

In the police court, "Sweetie" Gill was fined \$10 for breach of the peace, and Dan Adams was fined \$5 for the same offense. Both parties are colored.

We believe, over here, that the Spanish fleet has sailed for the Philippines and intend to hold them and abandon Cuba, knowing that they can not hold both.

W. E. Broadus has been appointed a prison guard and is on duty at Frankfort. Capt. Letcher Dwyer has been sick for a few days, but will soon be able to be in his office, looking after the county's interests.

A. H. Bastin, of Crab Orchard, was here Wednesday. He says that for a reasonable sum or a given number of subscribers, he will put in a telephone exchange here and furnish London, Mt. Vernon, Livingston, Brodhead, Crab Orchard, Stanford and Danville.

Judge Burdick has enlisted 14 more volunteers, who will leave for Lexington on Friday morning, to take the place of any men who may be rejected in the examination of Capt. Duncan's company. Several of them are from adjoining counties and he may be able to send 20.

Messrs. J. I. Hamilton and J. E. Robinson are in Adair and Taylor counties buying horses for artillery purposes. R. H. Tomlinson attended court at Harrodsburg this week. Messrs. S. D. and J. M. Rothwell are repairing the Dripping Springs property, and it will be run to its full capacity this season.

Miss Ellene Hyatt, daughter of William Hyatt, of Hyattsville, won the gold medal in the Demorest contest, held at Walnut church. Five young ladies competed for the prize. Miss Hyatt's subject was "The Bridal Wine Cup." Miss Frances Spratt, it is said, would have been entitled to the second prize, if one had been awarded.

Judge Burnside allowed \$107 for providing for and sending two children named Daley, aged two and four years, to the Orphan's Home at Louisville. Their mothers had been living with them in an old, dilapidated house, in the country, in a state of perfect destitution. The four were brought to town on a cold day some time ago, when even the women were bare-footed.

Our new train service will begin Sunday night, when a train, over our road, will make connection with the night trains at Stanford, and return to Cincinnati. By this arrangement our citizens can go and spend the day in Louisville or Cincinnati, returning home at night. It is said that our day train will be reversed on Monday so as to connect with the trains at Stanford, which will be a great convenience to the traveling public. This train, however, will not run on Sunday.

We are as much at sea as the Spanish fleet is, as we are unable to locate it. The wild and conflicting reports sent out are of such a character as to cause the people to discredit any report that is circulated. It has been reported here that the Lancaster company would go once to Chickamauga, and also that it would go direct to Tampa. On Wednesday, Capt. Duncan telegraphed for 10 or 20 more men. It is not known whether they are wanted to take the place of men, who have been rejected, or whether the number, necessary to form a company, has been increased.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Hon. G. G. Gilbert will speak at Perryville to-morrow afternoon.

John D. White is out for Congress in the 11th, but Judge Vincent Boreing seems to have made his calling an election sure.

The Senate has passed a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution, fixing inauguration day hereafter on May 4, instead of March 4.

Judge W. S. Pryor, of Frankfort; Chas. Poynts, of Maysville, and W. T. Ellis, of Owensboro, took the oath of office as Election Commissioners in the office of the clerk of the Court of Appeals. The work of appointing County Commissioners will be done with the advice of the Democratic organization.

Two enterprising ladies have engaged in the business of frog raising near Lexington and epleures will soon have frog legs from ponds right under their noses.

The Ohio Methodists celebrate the centennial of their career in Ohio June 26, in Delaware. Beginning in 1798, they now number in the State 1,400 ministers, 300,000 members, and have property valued at \$15,000,000.

BRIEF NEWS NOTATION.

The gold reserve is now over \$180,000,000.

Auditor Stone says the Frankfort penitentiary cleared \$3,000 in April.

The Ems Hotel, with 500 rooms and built at a cost of \$200,000, burned at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

John Beddow, of Memphis, stated on his death bed that he had poisoned two of his brother's children.

Miss Jane Allen, aged 18, jumped from a passenger train near Sailors' Rest, Tenn., and was instantly killed.

Many cities, large and small, are celebrating the Dewey victory in grand style. Cincinnati will celebrate the 21st.

At Mt. Sterling, John Mitchell hit his wife with his fist and she dropped dead. He is in jail and likely to have his neck broke.

John Owens, of Carter county, drank carbolic acid when he found that he had been sued on an account. The doctors saved him.

Charles F. Havemeyer, son of the late Theodore Havemeyer, committed suicide at his home in Roslyn, L. I. He was 35 years old. No motive for the suicidal act is known.

At South Bend, Ind., Frank Harrington fatally shot Mrs. Vahlert, a widow with whom he boarded, because she refused to marry him. He then blew out his own brains.

After saving the bars of his cell, J. C. Cahn, a prisoner in the Lexington jail, jumped from the second story window. He was picked up unconscious and taken back to jail.

James Harris, who escaped from the Frankfort penitentiary in 1886, has just been captured at New Albany, Ind., to which place he fled and was married. His wife and two children are prostrated.

The supreme court holds that the Iowa law forbidding the sale of liquors in the State and making it a crime to transport them is unconstitutional as an interference with the interstate commerce.

A Paris dispatch says John I. Moore, who died last week in St. Louis, had his life insured for \$17,000. Moore left Bourbon three years ago, leaving a large indebtedness, which caused a number of failures in that county.

The ice covering a stream in a defile near Crater Lake, Alaska, gave way under the passing throng of Klondikers, and more than a score of men were precipitated into the water and carried to certain death beneath the frozen stream.

Oscar Dupin, a school boy, was found dead hanging from a rafter in an unused part of his father's house at Bardonia. It is believed that he was playing circus and was imitating a trapeze performer, when the rope was caught about his neck.

James Dawson, of Elgin, Ill., aged 28 years, desired to accompany the volunteers to the war. His widowed mother's entreaties prevailed, and he merely went to the depot to see his friends leave. He was crowded from the platform, run over by the train and killed. When Sallie Rogers was up in Louisville for killing Houston Hutchison, she said: "I aimed the revolver at Jackson Jones, my sweetheart. I must have been nervous, for the bullet killed Hutchison." On her way back to jail she said: "The joke is on me. I'm a bad shot."

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

Charles Morris, Jr., and Miss Mary Howell, 18, were married at the bride's home near Tullahoma, Tenn., Tuesday. Mr. Herman Schuter, of Casey, and Miss Millie Geisel, of Crab Orchard, were married at her home on the 10th.

Frank Harvey, of LaPorte, Ind., has brought suit for divorce because his wife draws his salary and won't give him even pin money.

Joseph Simeon, Gar. Bradley's stenographer, and Miss Josephine Sullivan, of Lexington, eloped to Lawrenceburg and were married.

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The Cleveland Rubber Works has received a rush order from the government to furnish 15,000 ponchos for the volunteer army. They are light rubber blankets, 72x45 inches, and are adapted to three uses. They can be used as blankets, as capes, or four of them may be lined together and made into a tent.

It is thought that fully 200 of the two regiments at Lexington will be rejected.

MIDDLEBURG.

The Louisville Dispatch seems to be the favorite with all classes here for news.

Rev. W. E. Foster has filed his appointment at the Baptist church, of which he is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McWhorter are rejoicing over their first born. It is a boy and the event occurred Monday. Maama and papa doing well.

John Delk, who went to Texas three years ago, returned Saturday with his family. He is in destitute circumstances and has crutches in his feet and legs and is unable to walk.

Dr. I. S. Wesley, who has moved to Lancaster, stands at the head of his profession in this county, and no one has been more successful than he in his 10 or 12 years practice here. The people regret to part with him, but wish him success in his new field.

Our townsman, William Miller, who is somewhat of a wag, says he has always regarded the Spaniards as mighty good people, from the fact that when he was a boy, his father raised a kind of sweet potato he called the Spanish and that it was a powerful good potato.

W. T. Coulter says we did him an injustice in our last. He says he was already captain of a company of home guards and since the publication in the INTERIOR JOURNAL that his company has disbanded and he is having trouble in getting it together again. T. S. B.

LAND AND STOCK.

Several Fayette county farmers sold 4,700 bushels of wheat at \$1.07 to \$1.20.

The Nelson Record reports sales of a lot of extra good 1,100 pound cattle at 40c.

T. J. Clifton sold to Lawrence Rogers, of Danville, a gelding for \$70. Beazley Bros. sold a saddle gelding for \$60.

Edgar Reynolds and H. H. Wade sold their wool to William Moreland yesterday at 3c.

Cash wheat is selling at Chicago at \$1.80 and has been as high as \$1.85, while July brings \$1.15.

E. J. Thisher sold 2,000 bushels of old wheat at \$1. Clem Johnson sold 2,000 bushels of new wheat at 80c.—Harrodsburg Sayings.

The best patent flour in Chicago is \$8 per barrel, an advance of \$3 within 30 days and bread has been advanced from 7c to 6c per loaf.

The estate of Robert Downing sold 3,000 bushels of wheat to Cincinnati parties for \$1.25 per bushel, the highest figure in Mason county in 18 years.

F. P. Bishop bought of T. J. Hill, J. M. Hill, R. Cobb, E. P. Woods, C. C. VanArsdale and others a lot of hogs at 3c. T. J. Hill also sold him a fat cow at 3c.

Phaudt had no trouble defeating Lieber Karl again Wednesday. He won the Clark Stakes at Louisville, finishing four lengths ahead of the Tennessee horse.

The prospects for wheat in this section were never finer and with 75 and 80 cents offered for it at harvest time it looks like the farmer is on top.—Winchester Democrat.

Electioneer has 12 in his list with records below 2:15, 34 with records between 2:15 and 2:20, 46 from 2:20 to 2:25 and 74 between 2:25 and 2:30, or a grand total of 166 in the list.

Fox & Rice sold three mules to the government at \$70, \$75 and \$85. B. G. Fox reached Boston all right with his 22 head of horses. He sold them at auction Wednesday.—Advocate.

James Rarks bought of J. H. Farris 100 barrels of old corn at \$1.75. Waggers & Cohen shipped to Cincinnati a car load of fat hogs, bought in this vicinity at 34 to 35 cents.—Richmond Register.

T. T. Covington has engaged to sell 3,000 bushels of new wheat at 90c. M. F. Arbuckle, of Kirsksville, sold to Potts & Duerson 200 barrels of corn on cars at Silver Creek at \$2.—Richmond Climax.

Commissioner of Agriculture Lucas Moore has just issued his monthly report, showing all the crops so far to be in excellent condition, especially wheat. In some parts of the State the fruit crop was slightly damaged by the recent frosts.

Emmett G. Logan, who was very close to the big-hearted editor-poet, writes of him in the Louisville Times:

"When the spirit of Henry T. Stanton yesterday entered into Valhalla it met none braver, truer, gentler. A soldier by instinct and training, a poet who flung in numbers because the numbers came, he was the truest of friends, the most fearless and generous of foes, one of the most admirable and lovable of men. Peace to thy ashes, perpetuity to thy fame! thou sweetest of our singers, thou better part of at least one of the many who loved thee living, mourn thee dead."

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W. P. WALTON.

We are authorized to announce

HON. JAS. B. MCCREARY
Of Madison County, a candidate for Congress in the Eighth Congressional District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the democratic party.

HON. G. G. GILBERT,
Of Mercer County, a candidate for Congress in the Eighth Congressional District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the democratic party.

HON. J. B. THOMPSON,
Of Mercer County, a candidate for re-nomination for Congress in the Eighth Congressional District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the democratic party.

SIX PAGES.

OUR dispatches received last evening tell of a small, but terrific, naval battle off Cardenas, Cuba, in which the Spanish sent a shot through the torpedo boat Winslow's boiler and burst a shell on her deck, killing five of our sailors and wounding a number of others. They also tell of the bombardment of San Juan by Sampson, the sinking of another Spanish boat in Philippine waters and give other late news. Yesterday's papers told of the order to send 16,000 regulars to Cuba Monday, to be followed by 45,000 volunteers. Twenty-five transports that can carry 20,000 a trip are now at Tampa. There have already been mustered into the Federal service 56,000 and by the end of the week 100,000 volunteers will have been accepted.

The report was sent out Tuesday that the Cape Verde fleet had returned to Cadiz, Spain, but the navy department is not so sure of it and is endeavoring to find out the truth. Sampson was notified of the report, but he will be on the lookout, all the same, for it.

The people of Spain are in a desperate condition. Riots are rife, the people refuse to contribute to the expense of the war and a ministerial crisis is imminent. Everything so far seems to be going our way and foreshadowing the early doom of the Spanish government.

Now seems to be emphatically the time to strike them fore and aft. We have them on the run and can make the war as short as it will be decisive.

THE speeches of Gov. McCreary and Hon. G. G. Gilbert at Shelbyville Monday were in the best of taste and nothing whatever of an unpleasant nature occurred. The governor spoke first and was cordially received. Mr. Gilbert followed and it being his first public appearance in his home county since his announcement for Congress, he was greeted with an ovation, which showed that his benefactors appreciate him. He made some good natured tilts at the governor, but the latter evened up things in his 15 minute rejoinder and both created much laughter and enthusiasm. The governor invited his opponent to speak in his town and they will shortly lock horns there. Mr. Thompson was unavoidably absent and the Shelby people will have to wait to hear him until the next round.

THE infamous republican Congress put an almost prohibitive tariff on printing paper, which enabled a thieving trust to form a combine to force up the price. It has already sent it up a cent or more a pound since last December and the price is still climbing. Fortunately for us we bought a number of tons before the rise, but they are now exhausted and another supply has caught us for the extra cent a pound, which goes into the pockets of a few men, who profit by republican legislation for the classes against the masses.

COMPLAINT was made in the Senate Tuesday by Senator Lindsay and others that the list of nominations for staff officers contained no Southern men and Western Senators said that their section had also been neglected. Sectional lines and sectional feelings seemed to have been obliterated except in the heart of the man, who is proving that in one case at least, men do not always rise to the requirements of their positions.

THE Commercial Convention at Louisville was not as largely attended as expected, but it was a success in most every particular. Hon. P. W. Hardin responded to the welcoming address and John W. Yerkes was made permanent chairman. The sessions were to close last night with a royal banquet.

A CIGARETTE smoking dude isn't fit for anything on earth and very little in hell. Those who have screwed their courage up and enlisted in the army are being rejected by the surgeons right along, fully 90 per cent. being pronounced unfit for duty. The other rejections are comparatively small.

THE Richmond Citizen sang the only discordant note in the Commercial Convention matter. The paper could see no good in it except for Louisville and said so in many and quite amusing paragraphs.

If this thing keeps up ours will be an army only of officers, such as those of the gold forces were described in the late campaign. A recent order gives each regiment three majors, and each major an adjutant, all commissioned officers. When it is remembered that a major is the most useless officer in the army, the absurdity of the order will be appreciated.

WAR NEWS.

FIVE AMERICANS KILLED.
SHORT BUT TERRIFIC NAVAL ENGAGEMENT.

NINE AMERICAN SHIPS BOMBARDING SAN JUAN.

U. S. GUNBOAT CONCORD SINKS A SPANISH LAR AFTER TWO HOURS BATTLE.

FIVE KILLED AND SEVERAL WOUNDED IN AN ENGAGEMENT OFF CARDENAS.

DEWEY STILL MASTER OF THE SITUATION AT MANILA.

KEY WEST, May 12.—In an engagement off Cardenas, the first Americans were killed by the enemy. Ensign W. Bagely and four men of torpedo boat Winslow, are dead and several, including the captain, wounded. The Wilmington, Hudson and Winslow were engaged.

KEY WEST, May 12.—Fight was terrific while it lasted. American ships went after the Spanish gunboats, who opened the first and concentrating on Winslow sent a solid shot into her boiler. As the men stood on deck waiting for relief a shell exploded, killing five and wounding a number. Spanish loss not known. The land batteries helped the Spanish.

HONG KONG, May 12.—A merchant vessel reports that United States gunboat Concord sunk a Spaniard after two hours' battle. No Americans were killed.

NEW YORK, May 12.—A dispatch from Port De France, Martinique, says nine American warships are now bombarding San Juan, Porto Rico.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Twelve thousand troops are to be sent to the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, May 12, 4 P. M.—Dewey has cable working. The Navy Department received a dispatch this afternoon, saying that he controls situation and is transferring to transports guns from sinking Spaniard ships.

A dispatch from Gibraltar says that a Spanish torpedo boat exploded in Algeiras Bay and all on board were lost. Congressman D. G. Colson is really in earnest about going to war and has been commissioned major in the third regiment.

Gomez says that with the proper weapons, the Cubans can drive the Spanish from the island, without the aid of the Americans.

By cable from Hong Kong to Washington is 20,000 miles, the commercial rate is \$1.72 per word and the time of transmission six hours.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee has asked the President to appoint Russell Harrison to the place on his staff of Lieutenant Colonel and Commissary.

The government gives \$100 for each man killed in naval battles and this will give Admiral Dewey \$9,000, his officers good sums and the men \$50 a piece.

The government has refused O. H. P. Belmont's offer to build and equip a dynamite gunboat because of the stipulation in his offer that he must command it.

Spain will send 8,000 soldiers and two battalions of marines to Manila, but as it will take 40 days to get them there, Dewey will long since have had every thing his own way.

With the 70,000 rifles and the 200,000 rounds of ammunition which have started from Port Tampa, Gomez will be able to make a start toward the expulsion of the Spaniards.

The consensus of opinion is that we can hold the Philippine Islands against the claims of the world and it is suggested that a force of 20,000 Negroes be sent there to garrison them.

It is claimed that no material aid can be given the insurgents in Cuba until at least three bases of supplies are occupied, and then it would require weeks to mobilize the insurgent forces.

Information has reached Key West of the landing within 30 miles of Havana of the expedition under command of Captain Dorst, Fourth Cavalry, which left Tampa on board the transport Gussie.

Secretary Alger wants the President to issue another call for 75,000 volunteers. He thinks there should be an army of fresh troops to fall back on, if it should be necessary after invading Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

Gen. Nunez represents that the total enlisted strength in all arms of the Cuban army is 25,000 men, exclusive of several independent bands, which have never come into the regular army organization.

The cruiser Charleston, loaded with ammunition for Admiral Dewey's squadron, will start at once for Manila, with-

out waiting for the transports and other supply ships. The City of Pekin, with troops, will start probably about Saturday. Additional Western volunteers have been ordered to San Francisco, including those in the States of Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Idaho and Montana.

The war department has notified Gov. Bradley that equipments for Kentucky troops were sent from Philadelphia May 6. These supplies have not arrived and there is much complaint in consequence.

Anarchy and famine at home continue to menace Spain. An incendiary fire destroyed nearly half of the grain stores in Madrid and the cortes is being urged to adopt extreme measures to prevent a bread famine.

The big camp of volunteers to be established near Washington will be located at Munson's Hill, across the Potomac, in Fairfax county, Va. It is a historic location, only a short distance back of Arlington Heights.

The deaf and dumb cadets at the State school at Fulton, Mo., the only company of its kind in the world, have offered their services to Gov. Stephens to fight the Spanish. This company is fully equipped and well drilled.

The New York harbor patrol fleet has been greatly enlarged and the mine fields are being closely guarded to prevent the cutting of mine wires by Spanish spies. Several torpedoes and mines have been adrift lately.

In round numbers Sampson's squadron has a displacement of 46,000 tons, and can throw 20,000 pounds of metal at one discharge, while the Spanish Cape Verde squadron has a displacement of 29,000 tons and a discharge of 10,000 pounds.

There was a night call to battle on all the ships at Old Point, and the celerity with which crews responded was quite remarkable. No preparations were made, and the majority of the men were asleep, but the guns were ready to shoot on all the ships in less than six minutes.

This is no joke. The Lexington Leader says: The men in the second and third regiments are all developing colds and sore throats, from sleeping on straw, with not half cover to supply their needs. The men are compelled to sleep six or seven in a stall with a blanket for every six men.

That shot from Olympia which disturbed the Reina Maria Christina was perhaps the most destructive single shot ever fired into a ship. It was an eight inch shell, and it rocked the Spanish ship from stem to stern, exploded her boilers, killed her captain and 60 men, and set her on fire.

Rev. Otto Zimmerman, a Lutheran preacher of Evansville, Ind., refused to admit members of the G. A. R. post to his church because they wore Cuban flags. In his remarks the minister said that the United States had no right to take Cuba. A few moments later he was fleeing out of the back door to save his life.

In 1858, Dewey was an ensign, the lowest commissioned officer of the Navy. Now he is Admiral, the highest. This will keep him upon the active list of the navy until he is 72 years old; it will give him full pay when he retires and a corresponding increase of pension for the benefit of his family after his death.

Senator Sewell, of New Jersey, is not as patriotic as he tried to make out. He has decided to refuse the commission of major general tendered him by the president, after receiving a verbal opinion from Attorney General Griggs that it was unconstitutional to hold a seat in the Senate and a commission in the army at the same time.

The small torpedo boat Winslow precipitated the first naval engagement in Cuban waters Monday, and a lively little battle followed. The Winslow was fired upon and chased by three Spanish coastguard vessels, firing back in return. The Spanish took a hand and chased the Spaniards in turn, firing a few shells, the effect of which is not known. Sampson is now the centre of attraction. The generally accepted plan has been for Sampson to meet the Spanish fleet in the neighborhood of Puerto Rico. Another victory for our navy would make the reduction of Havana and San Juan much easier, and would probably obviate any necessity there may now seem to be for landing a large body of soldiers on the island.

The Philippine group of islands off the coast of Asia, which will go down in history as the first conquest made by the American Republic in the war of 1898, was discovered by Magellan in his first voyage around the world, in 1520. There are nearly 1,200 islands in the group. Their total area is estimated at 145,000 square miles, without including many of the smaller groups. Tobacco, hemp, sugar and rice are the chief staples produced. Climate conditions are those of the tropics, sultry, damp and trying weather throughout the year.

Cardenas is situated about 70 miles to the eastward of Havana and is of considerable importance commercially, and has rail connection with Mantanzas and Havana. A second town, called Siguapa, is just west of Cardenas proper, and the two are said to have a population of more than 20,000. These towns are considered very unhealthy for strangers, as they are surrounded by swamps and marshes; but their sanitary condition is said to be fairly good.

compared with other Cuban towns. The streets are broad and clean, and the city is lighted by gas and some electric lights.

A dispatch from Hong Kong illustrates the proverbial treachery of the Spanish. When Admiral Dewey took Cavite, the priests and sisters of charity bearing crosses and marching in procession, petitioned him not to massacre the sick and wounded, which, of course, he had no intention of doing. The Spaniards thanked him and repaid him by informing him of a narrow channel which, they said, was not mined, while the broad channel, they explained, was fully mined. An investigation upon the part of the Americans, however, revealed the contrary to be the case, and the mines were blown up by the sailors of the American fleet.

MR. J. H. ASHURST, who was hurt in a falling bed at Mr. J. M. White's, is better and his doctors now have some hopes of his recovery.

PUBLIC SALE!

On Thursday, June 9, '98,
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Adjoining our home, situated on the Stanford & Graham pike and South of the Crab Orchard and Sugar Grove School-House, in Lincoln county. This land is well watered, free of all springs or running water, handy to churches and school house, good neighborhood and in good state of cultivation. Will also sell one

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Terms made known on day of sale and sale to begin at 11 A. M. G. C. & W. T. ABRAHAM, Crab Orchard, Ky.

To Turnpike Contractors.

By order of the Fiscal Court, directing the Turnpikes of the county to be let out in sections from 2 to 5 miles to the lowest and best bidder, sealed bids will be received by the Fiscal Court of Lincoln County for metalling and repaving the turnpikes of Lincoln County, which is to include ditching and keeping same open, repaving and keeping open the culverts, repaving and maintaining the bridges thereon, all bids to be filed on or before

Monday, May 30, '98.

and the contract to expire Jan. 1st, 1899. All metal shall be the best obtainable and available to the road, broken sufficiently fine to pass through a three inch ring at its greatest diameter. Where a continuous stretch of rock is required, shall be not less than four inches deep in the center and spread out four feet. Gravel to be good and reasonably free from sand and dirt and five inches in the center and a spread from four to five feet, as the condition of the road requires. Both classes of metal to be furnished by contractor. The object of the court is to have the roads kept in a first-class condition, paying condition. The road bed to be rounded so as to prevent water from standing or running thereon, and in no instance to be allowed to cut through the metal.

The work received or rejected by the County Judge and Magistrate in whose district the section is located. All of said pikes shall be laid off in sections of from two to five miles each; each to be numbered consecutively from the end of same nearest Stanford, and each bidder can bid separately for as many of said sections as he sees proper, but must designate the sections. The bidding shall be by sections. All bids must be filed before 3 o'clock P. M., May 30, 1898. The bidder has the right to reject any and all bids. The contractor shall give and to the Commonwealth for the benefit of the County, approved security to be approved by the Fiscal Court and attested by the County Judge in at least double the amount of the value of the work to be done and conditioned for the faithful performance of the work in maintaining the section or sections contracted for during the required time. The bidder to send with his bid the name or names of his bondsmen.

The roads owned and contracted by the County for which bids will be received are as follows: Stanford, Dix River, Garrard County and White Oak Turnpike road company containing 3 1/2 miles, Morehead and Carpenters Station 4 miles, Knoxville and Pleasant Point 2 1/2 miles, Stanford and Logans Creek from its intersection at the Stanford and Crab Orchard pike extending 1 1/2 miles, the portion in the town of Rowland in the limits of the City of Stanford, Hustonville and Carpenters Creek 4 miles, including portion in Hustonville, Hustonville and Bradfordsville 2 1/2 miles, excluding portion of Hustonville, Stanford and Lancaster 4 1/2 miles, excluding the portion in the City of Stanford, Lancaster and Crab Orchard, excluding the portion in the town of Crab Orchard, 5 1/2 miles, Danville and Crab Orchard, excluding the portion within the corporate limits of Stanford, Rowland and Crab Orchard, 1 1/2 miles, Boyle and Lincoln 2 1/2 miles, Turnersville, McKinney Fork and Coffeys Mill 6 miles, Hanging Rock and Green River 5 miles, Danville, Dix River and Lancaster 2 1/2 miles, Stanford and Knob Lick 7 1/2 miles, Stanford and Ottenheim 7 1/2 miles, Stanford and Hills Gap 5 1/2 miles, Stanford and Preachersville 5 miles, Stanford and Millersville 7 miles, Bush Branch 5 miles, Crab Orchard and Chapells Gap 4 miles, excluding portion in Crab Orchard, Highland and Waynesburg 7 1/2 miles, Turnersville, McCormacks Church and Knob Lick 5 1/2 miles, Hustonville and McKinney Station 2 1/2 miles.

H. HELM,
J. P. BAILEY,
G. B. COOPER,
Committee.

Turnpike : Election.
The stockholders of the Hustonville & Carpenters Creek Turnpike are requested to meet at the Weatherford Hotel in Hustonville on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, May 14, 1898, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year.
W. H. WEATHERFORD, President.

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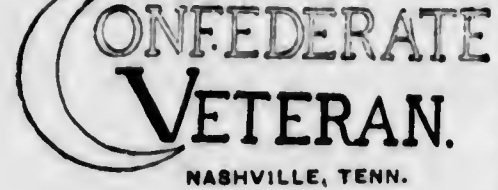
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Sea Fighting.

Those who want to get an accurate idea of what modern naval warfare is actually like may gratify their curiosity by reading two papers published at different times in The Century Magazine. The first was printed in August, 1893, and is a description of the famous sea fight at the mouth of the Yala river Sept. 17, 1894, between the Japanese and Chinese fleets. The account was written by Philo N. McGiffin, the gallant American commander of the Chinese warship Chen Yuen, that took such fierce part in the fight. The collisions of the great guns, surrounded by so much iron and steel, are something fearful at such times. Commander McGiffin's clothes were torn to rags by these collisions. He was wounded in the fight, and at length became blind and lost his reason, and at last died from the effects of that awful encounter. He mentions in his story that one shell from the Chen Yuen struck the Japanese flagship and ignited a quantity of powder on her deck. A fearful explosion followed, which killed 40 officers and men on the Japanese vessel and wounded 50 more.

The second sea fight story is in The Century for April, 1898. It is an account of the awful battle between the Chilean ironclads Blanco Encalada and Cochrane on the one side and the Peruvian turret ship Huascar on the other. It is written by Claude H. Wetmore. Not even the charge of the 600 at Balaklava equals in tragic picturesqueness the story of the fight off the Bolivian coast Oct. 8, 1879. The Cochrane ranged alongside the Huascar on one side, the Blanco Encalada on the other, and from short range poured into her from port and starboard the shells from their deadly long range guns. The Huascar could only struggle till the last man fell, and this she did.

What the fight was like on the Huascar, what it is like in every hot naval contest, is described thus: "The turret rapidly became so crowded with the bodies of the dead that the steam training gear of the iron roundhouse was clogged and useless. As the men struggled to remove the tumbled corpses of their comrades blood became smeared over their chests, and it mingled with the sweat which dripped as they toiled in quarters that resembled a baking chamber house, through which filtered steam and smoke, while a nauseous odor rose from the bodies and the heated guns." The head of the Peruvian commander, Admiral Grau, was struck off by a shell early in the action. His name is held in such esteemed remembrance by his fellow countrymen that, as Wetmore writes:

To this day, at every muster of a Peruvian army division, at every monthly inspection on the ships comprising the fleet, the name of Grau is first to be heard on the roll call. An officer steps forward, lifts his hat, points upward and answers: "Absent, but accounted for. He is with the heroes."

The London Times puts the law of neutrality among nations in a nutshell as follows: "The sale of arms by neutral nations is a lawful commercial adventure, but a neutral state must not allow its ports to be used as if they were part of one of the countries at war. For example, a cruiser could not be allowed to return again and again to British ports to obtain coal and stores so as to sail forth to prey on the commerce of an enemy." This point of the law of neutrality England learned from a stiff object lesson. She allowed the Confederate cruiser Alabama to "return again and again to her ports to be fitted out with arms, coal and other supplies for the purpose of making war on the ships of the United States." The heavy damages accorded under the Geneva award to be paid by England for these little commercial transactions was to all nations an emphatic enlightenment on the duties of neutral nations.

Let no indignities or insults or rudeness be offered to any Spaniard in America. That will be too much like the foolish and childish Spaniards themselves. Treat citizens of Spain in the United States with extreme courtesy. We have no call to treat them in any other way. It is not their fault that the government of Spain rushes on to its own ruin.

Here is the idea that even so intelligent a Spaniard as Don Carlos, pretender to the throne, has of the United States: "Spain should have made war before this and bombarded New York and the coast of Florida. This would have compelled the United States to surrender quickly." Good gracious! Let Don Carlos try it himself.

We are all sorry for that good lady, Maria Christina, queen regent of Spain, but Cuba must be free. While she and her son lived in luxury thousands of noble Cuban mothers and their sons have starved to death under the rule of her infernal government.

A Philadelphia boy who went off with a crowd of tramps had such an awful time of it that now he is home again safe the sight of a dime novel makes him sick.

It is one of the odd coincidences that Dr. Erasmus Garrett, the chief authority in Chicago on eruptive skin diseases, has himself died of blood poisoning.

United States Confederate veterans—how does that sound? There will be plenty of such military companies in the field in case of war with Spain.

English the Coming Language.

If the number of persons habitually using and writing it are any test of the growing importance and popularity of a language, then English is at the head of all tongues spoken on this globe today. It is the language of practical force, power, push and advancement in material things. French was formerly universally the language of diplomacy, because in French one can say so much and mean nothing at all. English is the language in which the commercial and industrial business of the nations is transacted because English says just what it means. Even in the Spanish-American republics the foreign mails contain more letters addressed in the modern Anglo-Saxon than in any other tongue.

Civilized languages, those written, spoken and printed at the present day, number altogether 12. They are used by half a billion people. Of these fully one-quarter speak English as their native tongue. These are, however, less than half of the number who habitually employ it to communicate with their fellow men. Two-thirds of all the world's letters are written and addressed in English. It is the people of the English speaking countries who write the letters and do the business of the world. All the Spanish-American republics put together, those of Central and South America and Mexico included, send in a year fewer letters than the colonies of faraway Australia do.

We only mention these little facts by way of reminding the American people, especially those who wish to write for newspapers, of the weight of responsibility that rests on them in the matter of learning how to use this glorious English language correctly.

Strength of Woman.

Charles Reade went so far as to declare that women were physically stronger than men in some of their muscles, especially those of the back and loins, if they would only train and use their bodies. The exploits of Charmion, a young French girl now giving acrobatic performances in this country, go far to prove that women may certainly be as strong as most men if they will undergo athletic training. Charmion is a girl only 19 years old, weighing 117 pounds. Lately in a test she compared her actual strength with that of the most powerful men of the time. They were Sandow, the professional athlete; Lovering, the former college champion strong man, and Godfrey, the strongest man among Bowdoin students. All these are men of mature age and fully matured powers. A trial of strength of lungs, legs, back and arms was made. The girl, without any previous special training, proved herself to have greater lung power than Godfrey, while she was 9 points behind Lovering and only 33 points behind the great Sandow himself. Again this more girl, who had never prided herself especially on mere dead strength, showed that she had nearly half as much leg and back power as Sandow.

Of the athletic training of women in general Charmion says truthfully in the New York Journal, "If women of the present day would pursue physical exercises diligently, the women of successive generations would be models of physical development, not to say beauty."

The London Times is usually considered, not altogether without just ground, as mildly hostile to the United States. These words from a recent editorial in its columns are therefore all the more weighty: "As the American people have been stirred to interference in Cuba by feelings which again and again have prompted serious action in this country (England), so they will carry on the contest in the Anglo-Saxon manner. They will probably make some mistakes, as we almost invariably do, but with them, as with ourselves, mistakes will only increase the dogged tenacity of purpose which knows how to convert mistakes into stepping stones of success." We are fortunate in having the approval of the London Times in our present line of conduct, at least in the estimation of the London Times itself.

In some respects the most remarkable man in the public service of the United States is Senator Justin S. Morrill of Vermont. It has been given to few public men to remain in office, retained there by the voluntary suffrage of their fellow citizens, till they are 88 years old, and to preserve unweakened all their powers of active usefulness. And in what a period of the world's progress it has been Senator Morrill's privilege to live! Hon. J. J. Ingalls in a letter to the New York Journal says with truth: "The span of Senator Morrill's life includes the period of greatest material and intellectual and moral development in the history of mankind. The human race has made more progress in the last 88 years than in the 6,000 that preceded."

The pet name in Spain for the inhabitants of the United States is "Americanos." There is no language so rich in abusive epithets as Spanish, and at present it is taxed to its utmost limits to convey the feelings toward us of those who speak the tongue on its native soil in all its juicy glory.

The Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune speaks of "a face that had seen better days." This is good.

A DOMESTIC COMEDY.

Or How Jones-Brown Discovered He Had Been Sold.

Mr. Jones-Brown (taking his seat at the breakfast table)—Good morning, dear.

Mrs. Jones-Brown—Good morning, Charles. You came in rather late last evening.

Mr. Jones-Brown—Yes, dear. I reached town on a late train from Tipperary's place in Lonesomepark. Glorious place that! Heard about it? Tipperary told me himself. He ought to know. Beautiful lawns, fine gardens—vegetable, fruit and flower—hot and cold water, observatory, bathhouse, splendid kitchen, plumbing, all modern appliances, electrical fixtures, gas, too, architecturally perfect, view sublime, neighborhood congenial, servant problem solved—they just beg to go there; ten minutes from city—in short, glorious!

Mrs. Jones-Brown—Well, Mrs. Tipperary was in town yesterday afternoon and she isn't so eloquent about it. Do you know, dear, what she tells me? It's lonely as a graveyard, plumbing vile, fruit, flowers and vegetables a myth, scenery in winter all snow, in summer mud; kitchen awful, gas about one-eighth of the time, hot water never above 82 below zero, neighborhood miserable—in fact, they are just waiting until some easy thing comes along, so they can unload it on the unsuspecting idiot.

Mr. Jones-Brown—What!

Mrs. Jones-Brown—Are you ill? Are you ill, dear?

Mr. Jones-Brown—Not exactly. Only—only—

Mrs. Jones-Brown—Only what?

Mr. Jones-Brown—Nothing much—only I bought that place!—New York World.

Majah Puff's Sayings.

The most contemptible tyrant is the false tyrant.

"To labor is honorable," is one of the things mo' hench in the breach than in the observance.

"An idle brain is the devil's workshop" applies to women as well as to men.

Does Confucius' assertion that "woman is the masterpiece" signify that he was a married man?

It is strange that Abou Ben Adhem's name "led all the rest" because he loved his fellowmen, when he would have been anathematized had he shown such an ardent love for women.

It is alleged that the hatpin is now woman's most formidable weapon, but her tongue, like some old make of sword or musket, still has its terrors for many.—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Discovery.

Cholly Addepate—I flattah myself, bah jove, that I'm quite a student of aw—woman's nature. I have discovered that a woman's "no" often means "yes."

Willie Noddlekins—Say, that's so, but I never thought of it before. Now, lawst night I awaked Miss Plunks if she didn't want to go to the aw—theater next Saturday evening, and she said no.

"Bah Jove! And she meant 'yes.' " "I'm suah she did, foh I heard her tell that beasty Gawge Bouds, not ten minutes before, that she wanted awfully to go."—Up to Date.

Would Give Him Cause to Sue.

"Is that your dog, sir?"

"Yes, sir. Why?"

"He's bitten my leg to the bone."

"Very sorry, I'm sure."

"Sorry! Hang your sorrow! I shall come on you for damages."

"What, more?"

"Yes, sir, substantial damages."

"All right, sir. Here, Nelson, good dog, at him again!"—Pick Me Up.

Overlooked in the Confusion.

Tracy—I believe, dear, we now have everything moved from the old house.

Mrs. Tracy—Yes, but do you know there seems to be something missing yet?

Tracy—I can't think of anything.

Mrs. Tracy—Great heavens! It's the baby, John. We left it sleeping in its cradle up stairs.—New York Journal.

He Meant Well Anyway.

Diggs—Hanks doesn't seem to have any pity for the unfortunate of this great city.

Figgs—From what do you judge that?

Diggs—I saw him put a 40 page Sunday paper into the slot of the hospital box.—Harlem Life.

Nothing Bright in Sight.

Chollie—Don't be downhearted, dearest; can't you see anything bright before you?

Dollie (looking up suddenly)—No; I really can't say that I can.—Yonkers Statesman.

Making It Impossible.

"But the wretch was convicted, wasn't he?"

"Well, no. You see, his uncle died just after the arrest and left him a big estate."—Detroit News.

Wet Weather.

Up town and down town and through the shopping section, in door and out of store

In roundabout direction, where the rain pours down

With plentitude and pluck, goes a little pair of rubbers

That go "shuck, shuck, shuck!"

Mackintosh and umbrella,

Hair that's lost its curl,

Doing shopping, shoes a-sopping,

Goes she bright and early,

Off I pass her plodding on,

Wetting every tuck

With her little sloppy rubbers

That go "shuck, shuck, shuck!"

Just a nod; then she's gone.

Other folk are pressing.

Yet I know, as I go,

I am long confessing

That I wish I knew her well,

That drippy little duck,

With that little pair of rubbers

That go "shuck, shuck, shuck!"

—New York Free.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIETY GOSSIP.

MRS. J. D. BASTIN has returned from Louisville.

MRS. J. C. McCLARY is visiting in the East End.

C. C. CARSON went to Louisville Tuesday morning.

MRS. PRUSSIE DRYE is spending a few days at Hustonville.

Mr. H. G. COOK, wife and children returned to Jellico yesterday.

MRS. DAINY BAKER, of Kingsville, is the guest of Mrs. Cleora Reynolds.

GEORGE B. COOPER, who was quite ill for several days, is back in his office.

MISS LUCY COWAN, of the West End, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. N. Menefee.

Mr. J. E. CARSON was on Tuesday's train bound for Chillicothe, O., on a business trip.

Mr. AND MRS. WM. GOUGH and pretty little daughter went to Lexington Wednesday.

Dr. STEELE BAILEY left Tuesday to attend the Kentucky State Medical Society at Maysville.

MRS. JANE BAILEY, of Garrard, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eliza Luckey, at Mr. J. W. Rout's.

MRS. W. A. THIMBLE and son spent several days with the family of Mr. A. Tribble at Junction City.

MRS. W. J. EDMISTON and son, of Crab Orchard, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw Edmiston.

MRS. LUCY ST. CLAIR, who spent the winter at her old home in Rome, Ga., has returned to her daughter's, Mrs. Steele Bailey.

Mr. J. S. HOCKER has a letter from his brother, J. H. Hocker, of Kansas City, Mo., that his sons, Woody and Joe, have enlisted in the army.

RITCHIE W. VAUGHAN, our little nephew, has our thanks for an invitation to the commencement exercises of Randolph Macon Academy at Bedford City, Va.

In his charge to the grand jury at Harrodsburg, the Sayings says that Judge Stanley took occasion to compliment Hon. J. Sam Owsley, Jr., for his integrity, ability and efficiency.

Mrs. J. W. ROUT has information that her brother, Mr. S. T. Broadus, won the nomination for clerk of Bates county, Mo., after a hot contest. It is equivalent to election and the office is a very fat one.

MRS. MATTIE V. KIRBY has written a pantomime entitled "The Bridge," which has been accepted by Werner's Magazine and will appear soon with 16 poses of the author. The work is said to be very meritorious.

JUDGE R. G. WILLIAMS, of Mt. Vernon, was on yesterday's train bound for Frankfort. He told us that James A. Mullins, who killed Walky Mullins a few days ago, had been arrested and his trial set for to-morrow.

The many friends of that splendid old Kentucky gentleman, Dr. Dave Logan, will regret to hear that he is still in rather poor health. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lillard will be pained to learn of the death of their infant daughter, Martha Brounston Lillard. Advocate.

FOLLOWING are the names of the Lincoln county boys in Capt. Duncan's company: J. M. Barclay, J. W. Brackett, J. M. Carter, John Cordier, V. H. Hall, John G. Lynn, Ex. Reynolds, A. D. Root, H. Rowan Sautley, Ashby M. Warren and H. D. White. The letter of this company has been changed to "M."

MR. CARL B. BRITTAIN, U. S. N., who lately married Miss Maude Baldwin, of this city, was recently promoted to the rank of lieutenant. He is now under orders to report to the U. S. S. Newark, at Norfolk, Va., on the 21st of May, and will go to sea and take part in the war on that vessel. Richmond Climax.

The following were appointed delegates to the Louisville Commercial Convention, but only two went: Dr. J. B. Owsley, Dr. J. F. Peyton, S. M. Owens, R. M. Newland, Dr. J. K. Vandersdale, D. W. Vandveer, Jas. N. Saunders, J. P. Riffe, C. C. Carson, W. P. Walton, W. G. Welch, J. E. Carson, J. N. Menefee, A. T. Nunnally.

W. J. VICKERY writes us from Dallas, Texas, that Ed M. McCarty, a member of the fire company and son of W. L. McCarty, of this county, was among the first to volunteer. He joined the cavalry and his departure was made memorable by his friends, of whom he has made many, since he went to the Lane Star State to live.

Mr. JOHN W. ROUT filled Postmaster Florence's place in his absence. And this reminds us that Postoffice Inspector W. J. Vickery, whom we met in Louisville the other day, said that Mr. Rout was one of the best postmasters he ever knew, his success being largely attributable to the excellent assistance of his daughter, Miss Sue Rout.

HON. J. N. SAUNDERS went to Louisville Tuesday.

MISS ELLEN BALLOU's music class will give its closing entertainment at Walton's Opera House June 14th.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

SHEEP SHEARS at Warren & Shanks'.

NEW White Piques for skirts at Severance & Sons.

Just received a car load of flooring and ceiling. A. C. Sine.

Bug finish destroys potato bugs, 5c a pound. W. B. McRoberts.

DANKS' auction will continue all week. Come to night 7 to 9.

SAMPLE lot of lap robes at wholesale prices. H. K. Wearen & Son.

THE L. & N. took up two coaches Tuesday to take the Barbourville Company to Lexington.

LOOK BOYS.—With every boys' suit we give a base-ball, bat, belt and cap. Severance & Sons.

NEW Wall Paper of the latest spring styles. Prices made to suit the purchaser. W. B. McRoberts.

FROZEN.—Refrigerators, Ice Chests, Freezers, Water Coolers and Rubber Hose at Warren & Shanks'.

APRIL weather has prevailed all week. After showers last night, the signal service said it would be fair and cooler today.

ANOTHER CHANGE.—Capt. Duncan wires Hon. R. C. Warren that he needs 10 to 20 more men. This will give the other patriotic boys a chance.

SEE H. C. Baughman, agent for Central Fire and Kentucky Growers Insurance Co., and have your home insured before it burns. Now is the time.

JUDGE CARSON indicted Allen Hill and James Mitchell \$14 each, including costs, for disorderly conduct, and they are doing time on the streets to pay it.

"YOUR people have much more sense than ours" was the sententious remark of a Boyle county man, when he heard how our fiscal court had traded with the Hustonville & Danville Turnpike Co. All our pikes but one little live miles are free now.

LOST HIS WATCH.—Mr. H. H. Wade, of Mt. Salem, who was here yesterday with a load of wool, either lost or had gold watch stolen and he was in sore distress. He will give a good reward for the return of it.

THE children of Mrs. J. H. Baughman's Sunday school class will enjoy an ice cream and cake lunch at the Christian church Saturday afternoon. The number of pencils corresponding to the number of letters in one's last name will be the admission fee.

WANT DIPLOMAS.—There are 18 pupils being examined by Supt. Garland Singleton's board. Miss Kate Bogle and L. R. Hughes, for common school diplomas. Prof. E. L. Grubbs' class of seven, Dr. W. D. Tardiff's of six and Prof. J. Fisher's five from Danville.

THE annual commencement exercises of the Kentucky Wesleyan College will be held June 6-8. The total enrollment of the college and its academies for the past year is 426, the largest in its history. President E. H. Pearce writes that the students of Lincoln, Pence, Spoonamore, Matheny and Miss Annie Pence, have made excellent records in their studies.

WANTS THEIR ADDRESS.—J. G. Martin, mail contractor, has received a letter dated at the Joliet, Ill., penitentiary and signed by Tucker Ballard, who inquires after W. R. Dillon, who he says married Miss Mallinda Ballard, and Walter Saunders, who married Miss Sissie Ballard. He says he has been in prison for 16 years and is anxious to hear from them as his mother used to belong to the Dillon family. He once lived in Stanford, he says.

ARM BROKEN.—While unloading some goods Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Isaac Hamilton, the Rowland merchant, met with an accident that will likely trouble him for years. His horse started and the old gentleman was thrown from the wagon and striking the ground on his right side the arm he fell on was both broken and dislocated at the elbow. Drs. Peyton and Carpenter were summoned and they did what they could to alleviate his sufferings and effect a cure but as he is 65 years old and the bones are badly broken it will be almost a miracle if the member ever gets in good shape again.

ALL REJECTED.—The fiscal court opened 40 or more bids for keeping the turnpikes in repair, but regarding them all too high decided to reject them, modify the specifications in several particulars and advertise again. The bids were based on pretty tough conditions and these were changed so as to provide simply for good pikes, such as the law required in order to collect toll. The new specifications are given elsewhere. Bids are to be in by May 30th and the court will convene the next day to open them. The bids ran from \$25 to \$175 per mile, and at those rates the county would be bankrupt before Christmas.

COTTAGE for rent. East Main Street. A. B. Florence.

WANTED, a threshing machine, new. Hlati & Young, Ewell, Ky.

HOME and farm mixed paints. Best in the market. W. B. McRoberts.

AN egg famine has prevailed here for a week, but the former price of 74 cents has not been increased.

OWING to the rain Col. W. F. Sheridan's boat was not christened last Thursday night, but the conditions being favorable some pretty young lady will say to-night "I name thee Queen" and break a bottle of champagne over her brow, in the presence of a number of invited guests.

THE LAST OF ROWLAND.—The train dispatcher's office will be moved from Rowland to Livingston Monday, much to the regret of the legion of friends of Chief W. F. Sheridan and his clever assistants, Messrs. J. A. Mudd, Carl A. Moore, L. M. Westerfield and W. T. Merimee. T. F. Splink will be depot agent at Rowland and Ivon W. Fish, night operator. Ernest Warren will hold down the office here at nights.

COON TALE.—Burdett Powell, of the West End, who by the way has the reputation of being an unusually truthful young man, tells a friend of this paper that he saw a coon—a four-legged one—in a tree near his home with a piece of his tobacco canvas over him for a shelter. Mr. Powell missed the canvas several days previous, and thinking it had been stolen, swore vengeance on thieves in general. He changed his tune though when he saw how cutely the coon had outwitted him and instead of waging war on him he decided to let him keep the canvas and use it to his heart's content.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.—Col. W. F. Sheridan has returned from Louisville, where he went to assist in making the change of schedule on the Knoxville Division of the L. & N., which goes into effect Sunday. The day passenger trains will arrive as now, but Nos. 25 and 26, the night express, are changed. The former to arrive at 12:45 A. M. and the latter at 2:40 A. M. On the K. C. division No. 5, which formerly went to Livingston, is changed to come to Rowland on the Richmond branch where it will arrive at 12:48 A. M. to connect with No. 25 and then to Stanford, reaching here about 1:05 A. M. It will leave at 2:10 A. M., then connect at Rowland with No. 26 and go to Cincinnati over Richmond branch. The mixed train, which now leaves here at 7:10 A. M., will be reversed to run from Richmond, leaving there at 9:30 and reaching Rowland at noon. This train will not come to Stanford, as connection is made at Rowland with the day trains there. Returning to Richmond it will leave Rowland at 3:50 P. M. We are very glad to know that the several families of the train crews will not leave Stanford, at least for the present.

FIRE.—The St. Asaph Hotel had a close call Wednesday morning. About 3 o'clock, Mrs. Mark Hardin, wife of one of the proprietors, was awakened by a brilliant light and jumping up found that the kitchen of the hotel was in a blaze. She gave the alarm and in a few moments Jailer DeFord was awakening the people with peals of the court-house bell. The fire company responded in a very short time and soon had several big nozzles playing large streams on the flames, which were extinguished before more than a few hundred dollars of damage was done. The building was of wood and the facings of the door to the brick hotel caught, but it was speedily put out. With wonderful presence of mind, Mrs. Hardin awakened the guests, who came tumbling out in their night clothes and created many amusing incidents. One drummer had to be asked to return to his room and get himself in a more presentable shape. The whole building was filled with smoke and the screams of the women and the noise of the firemen were almost deafening, yet Train Dispatcher W. F. Sheridan slept through it all and only awoke when Mr. Hardin went to his room on his rounds in taking an inventory of his guests. The coolest man in the building was W. W. Evans, who represents the shoe house of Marsey Bros., Hartford, Conn. He was told that the house was ablaze and that he must get out at once to save his life. Instead he commenced to pack his samples and did not leave till he could take his trunk with him. In addition to the loss on the kitchen, some of the furniture was badly damaged. Messrs. Farris & Hardin had \$5,000 insurance on their half and the furniture, in the Manchester, Springfield Fire & Marine and London & Liverpool Globe Companies. The origin of the fire seems to have been in the explosion of a lamp.

The other half of the hotel building is owned by Misses Alice and Dora Baughman, who carried \$3,000 in the Central Fire of Lexington. On being notified of the fire by the local agent, H. C. Baughman, Secretary R. B. Kendall came immediately from Lexington and the same day of the fire had Messrs. A. C. Sine and J. A. Allen make an estimate of the cost of restoring the building, which was accepted and the work to begin at once. This company is doing much business here, the promptness with which it acts being a big advertisement for it.

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DANKS is reasonably well pleased with the results of his auction. He hopes to close out by to-morrow, after which he will do an exclusive repairing business till he leaves in the Fall.

LECTURE.—At Mt. Moriah, to-night, Friday, Elder J. W. McGarvey, Jr., will lecture on "Palestine," with stereopticon views and will also give views of the modern warships and other things of timely moment.

THE L. & N. will run a special train Sunday to Lexington to give the people a chance to see the soldier boys. It will start from Greensburg at 5:30 A. M., passing here at 8:10, Lancaster 8:55, Richmond 9:25 and arriving at Lexington 10:30. Returning, leaves at 8:30 P. M. Round trip fare from here and Lancaster \$1.25.

A STANFORD company of volunteers is being raised by Dr. W. B. Penny, who has been authorized to do so by Col. D. R. Murray, and has already gotten the names of 58 of the best young men of town and county. Col. Murray is a half brother of the gallant Crittenden, who was shot in Cuba by the Spaniards and who when told to turn his back and kneel for the ordeal refused to do so, saying "A Kentuckian kneels only to his God and never turns his back to the foe." Capt. Penny's company is for the second call.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH.—Postmaster J. C. Florence was called to Nelson county Tuesday morning by the death of his half brother, Fannose Florence, who was found in his stable with an ugly wound in his head. The coroner's jury said that death resulted from heart disease, but the family is under the impression that he was kicked by a horse. He dined with his stepmother and was missing from 1 to 8 o'clock, when he was found after much search. The deceased was about 50 years of age and leaves a wife but no children. This is the second brother that Mr. Florence has lost in two months and much sympathy is felt for him.

THE Danville & Hustonville turnpike, which was recently raided, was leased and freed Tuesday by the fiscal court and thus do the raiders gain another victory. There are 73 miles of the road in this county and two gates. The court agreed, after much dickerings with President Wm. Warren and his attorneys, R. C. Warren and Robert Hardin, to lease the road for \$1,000 till Dec. 1, the company to expend not less than \$30 and as much as \$50 a mile on it if necessary. The county owns about a 1/2 of the road and will get some \$250 of the money back. The court has in addition the option of buying the pike for \$9,500, should the bond issue carry. The trade seems to be a fair one all around. The Hustonville & Coffey's Mill, 5 miles, is now the only toll road in the county.

Rev. H. Ford, of Lexington, will preach at the church at Sautley Sunday morning at 11 and at the usual hour Sunday night.

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